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## NEW PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith for filing is the U.S. patent application of:

Applicant: Mark Vandever Dunkle

Title: Communications Interface Database for Electronic Diagnostic Apparatus

Attorney Docket no.: AM 7134

2. This patent application claims the benefit under 35 USC 119(e) of U.S. provisional application SN 60/451,301 filed March 1, 2003.

3. Enclosed are:

- Check for \$ 1,620 filing fee.
- Specification and Abstract (34 pages).
- Drawings, formal (6 sheets, size 8.5 x 11 inch, Figures 1–8).
- Inventor's Declaration and Power of Attorney executed on 07/07/2003 (3 pages).
- Assignment executed on 07/07/2003 (3 pages), with Recordation Form Cover Sheet and check for \$40.00.
- **NON-PUBLICATION REQUEST** under 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i).

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6. The **large entity** filing fee is calculated as follows:

	Claims Filed		Extra Claims	Rate per claim	Fee
Total claims	45	-20	= 25	x \$ 18	= \$ 450
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Basic Filing Fee					\$ 750
<b>Total Filing Fee</b>					<b>\$ 1,620</b>

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Title

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I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

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